

AUBURN ARTS COMMISSION MINUTES

Thursday, June 12, 2008, 7:30 a.m.

Auburn Civic Center, Rose Room

Auburn, CA 95603

Meeting called to order by Chair Louise Burda Gilbert

A quorum was declared. Those present: Everett Jensen, Marilyn Hamner-Crout
Aloha Baumgarten, Louise Burda Gilbert, Sue Dings

Minutes of April 10, 2008 were accepted

Project Reports: Art in Public Places

Fund Raising for Art projects: Aloha described the proposed fund raising event at Quarry Ponds slated for Sept. 18 from 4:30 on. She requested we organize our lists of organizations and people who would be potential attendees. She will forward an updated flier describing the event to the Commissioners for distribution to friends, associates, etc. The deadline for mailing the flier is August 27. Placer Arts and Roseville Arts will be asked to help send [email] invitations and post fliers. Everett and Sue volunteered to serve on a committee with Aloha to help plan the event. They will meet on June 13th at 1:30 to tour the site. Aloha will inquire about the possibility of a raffle, silent auction or live auction.

Mural Projects: Louise will ask Bob Richardson about the starting date for the Elks Club mural to be installed by Patrick Shields.

City Hall Gallery: Marilyn and Auburn Youth Commissioner, Hannah Peterson selected young artists from area schools to show their works in the gallery. One piece from each student was chosen for display. Sue will invite the Auburn Journal to write a story about the Youth Art Show initiated by Mike Holmes. The opening reception for the show will be at the June 12 Art Walk.

The August Art Walk will feature works by the Placer Camera Club. Marilyn will work with Mike Schumaker to arrange the show.

Art Walk Music: Dr. Bach & the Jazz Practitioners will perform on the Promenade Porch. Bluhorse will play at the Clock Tower. Sue is looking for entertainers to perform at the City Hall site for the August 14th Art Walk.

Blooming Bench project: Everett will call Mike McCoy to inquire about the bench crafters.

Auburn Placer Performing Arts Center: The Old State Theater façade has been painted and refurbished thanks to many Project Auburn volunteers and donors. The marquee and sign will be installed on June 23-25.

School Park Preserve: Information is needed about its opening date.

Guide to Public Art Brochure: Marilyn will continue distributing the brochures.
New Business: Since Mike McCoy and Stephanie Wills have resigned, Louise suggested we look for replacements over the summer to suggest to City Council.

Announcements: Everett announced his art seminars have been a big success.

Meeting adjourned at 9 a.m.

Submitted by Sue Dings, Secretary

Next Meeting: July 10, 7:30 AM Rose Room

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